

ORDINANCE NO 46 - 23

By: Monique Lampke

An ordinance to approve an inter-governmental agreement between the City of Bexley and the Bexley Public Library, and to declare an emergency.

Whereas: The Library and the City are planning construction of a new outdoor reading room located in between Bexley Public Library, 2411 E. Main Street, Columbus, Ohio 43209 and Congregation Torat Emet, 2375 E. Main Street, Columbus, Ohio 43209 and other related exterior improvements (the "Project."); and

Whereas: The outdoor reading room will include space for seating, small library programs, lighting fixtures, and a water feature as well as improvements to landscape retaining walls, sidewalks, and entry steps/ramp at the Library's main entrance.

Whereas: The Parties are entering into this Agreement as authorized by Ohio Revised Code §715.02. The Parties will jointly benefit from the Project and have determined to jointly fund the Project. The Parties are entering into this Agreement for the purpose of identifying how the Project will be designed, constructed, and managed and expenses apportioned; and

Whereas: Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code § 715.02, to be effective, this Agreement must be approved by ordinance or resolution, as applicable, passed by the legislative bodies of the Parties and such ordinance or resolution shall set forth the Agreement in full and, when approved, shall be a binding contract;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEXLEY

Section 1.

That the Mayor and Auditor are hereby authorized to enter into the Inter-Governmental Agreement between the City of Bexley and the Bexley Public Library in substantially similar form as the draft agreement attached hereto as "Exhibit A".

Section 2.

That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public health, peace, safety and shall go into full force and effect upon the approval of the Mayor.

Passed: _____, 2023

Troy Markham, President of Council

Attest: _____
Matt McPeek, Clerk of Council

Approved: _____, 2023

Mayor Ben Kessler

First Reading: December 12, 2023

Second Reading:

Third Reading: